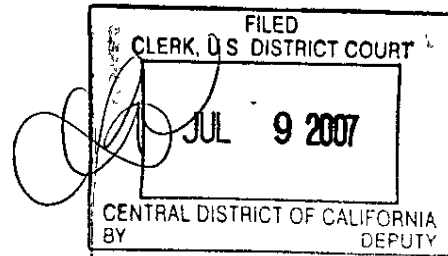


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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JOHN OFFORD, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

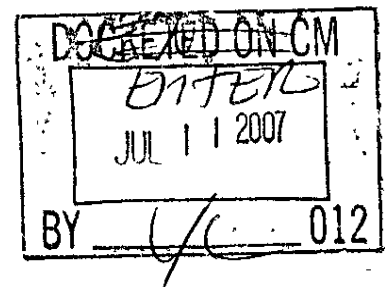
v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Defendant.

CASE NO. CV 06-2602-GHK (FFMx)

ORDER APPROVING PETITION
FOR MINOR'S COMPROMISE



This matter is before the Court on Plaintiffs' Petition to Approve Minor's Compromise ("Petition"). We have considered the papers filed in support of the Petition, as well as the oral statements of the parties.¹

On May 18, 2007, Plaintiffs filed an earlier version of the Petition. Due to certain procedural defects, that version of the Petition was denied without prejudice on May 25, 2007. Also on that date, the parties' Stipulation for Compromise Settlement and (Proposed) Order Dismissing Action ("Stipulation") was placed in the file as not used.

¹No party opposes the Petition.

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1 The present version of the Petition was filed on June 12, 2007. No stipulation was re-
2 filed with the renewed Petition.

3 The Petition is hereby **APPROVED**. The Stipulation placed in the case file on
4 May 25, 2007, is also hereby **APPROVED**.

5 Plaintiffs' action is hereby **DISMISSED** with prejudice, in its entirety. Each party
6 shall bear their own costs of suit and attorneys' fees.

7 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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9 DATED: July 9, 2007

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13 GEORGE H. KING
14 United States District Judge
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